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NEWS BY TO-DAY'S MAIL. We learn from Washington that Congress intends to send sub-committees to the different State capitals of the Southern States, for the purpose of taking testimony on the subject of reconstruction as being carried out under the present plan of Provisional Governors. This, we are told, will occupy the sub-committees several months.

The Fenians trials continue in Ireland. Luby the proprietor of the Irish People, was found guilty and sentenced to twenty years penal servitude.

Mr. Raymond's motion to permit the Tenn. delegation to occupy seats in the House of Representatives, pending the investigation of their claim to sit as members from that State, is said to have been made at the personal request of President Johnson.

Provional Governor Hamilton, of Texas, has issued a proclamation authorizing the Chief Justices of the counties to raise in each county at the expense of the latter, a special police force of fifty men, who have taken the oath of allegiance, and whose duty it shall be to suppress all lawless acts and to preserve order generally. I distribute a state of

The Memphis Argus states that the negroes in Tennessee and Mississippi have been growing more and more troublesome for some months past.

The Episcopal churches in Alabama are still kept closed, under the orders of General Thomas shutting up the churches of that de nomination. He would not even allow them to be opened on Thanksgiving day unless permission was first asked of his officers. So, at least, says the Monigom ry Mail.

A paragraph has been published that Gen. Kilpatrick would andress a meeting in favor of unlimited suffrage. This was wholly unauthorized and incorrect. His position on the suffrage question was distinctly defined in the New Jersey canvass, and is unchanged.

The report of the Governor of Jamaica has appeared in the English papers. He de-cribes the character of the late insurrection and details the measures to which he resorted for its suppression, and expresses the belief that. but for the promptitude with which the Garemment acted, the revult would have become general, and would have resulted in the exter mination of the white race.

Is a case on trial in one of the court- at Detroit. Judge Wilkins is said to have deeded that to wear an old suit of clothes in going from the United States into Canada, and to return wearing two or three new suits, which it is intended to offer for sale on this side, is smuggling. The decision puts a stop to one of the methods of smuggling very extensively practised.

Captain Gronow, late of the British Life buards, whose interesting memoirs, have made his name famous to all general readers, died in Paris on Monday, the 20th of November. Captain Gronow, who was in the Guards at Waterloo, was one of the old school, and had probably seen as much of 'life' as any man of the day.

The New Orleans Time Delta speaks in complimentary terms of tien. Sheridan, saving he Banother illustration of the fact that charity and chivalry are always combined. He has keued an order direction the quartermaster's department to supply the widows and orphans and public charities in that city will fact.

The suit of Moss Laura Keene, in New Lork, to restrain the production of the play of "Our American Cousis" by certain theatrical managers, was on Tuesday before the Superior Court. After hearing arguments the Judge tranted a motion for a dismissal of the case.

Mr. M. C. Biure, a merchant in Augusta, lis., publishes a card denying the statement made a tew days since that he had donated \$100,000 to Breckinridge, and says that General Breekinridge is now living comfortably in Uanada, and is not in need of such a gift.

The remains of Jonathan Gillett, formerly of the firm of Wright, Gillett & Rawson, of New York, and more recently of Toledo, who disap-Peared three years ago, have been found under circumstances which leave no doubt of his hav-

ing been murdered. The steamer Arizona, from New York to Key West, came in coll sion off Barnegatt with the ship William Edward, from Havre for New York, with a cargo of wines, sinking the ship in helf an bour. The crew were saved and brought to New York yesterday. The

steamer was slightly dam ged. Oregon has ratified the anti-slavery constitu-

Gonal amendment.

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